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Hongkong, February 15, 1886. NOTICE.

TOULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

1 .- The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their

premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 st one time will not be received. No

3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Re-\$100 or more at their credit may at port of the General Agents, together with their option transfer the same to the a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances. 5. Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about

the beginning of January and begin-

and the production of his Pass-Book 1885. are necessary.

HOROKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING Instant, inclusive. T. JACKSON Owef Manager.

Hongkong, May 7, 1880.

### Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. O. KWOK CHAK in our Firm Mr. O. CHUN KAU is Admitted a PARTNER from the 4th Instant. HOP HING HONG,

132, Bonham Strand. Hongkong, February 10, 1886. NOTICE.

VI of our Yokohama and Kobe Firms. Messra, SIEMSSEN\_& Co. have been appointed our AGENTS in Hongkong and

OPPENHEIMER FRERES. Hongkong, February 6, 1886. NOTICE.

ATR. THEODOR VON DER HEYDE, of Hamburg, and Mr. GOTTFRIED BRUNO ROBERT BECKER, of Hongkono, have This Day been Admitted PART-NERS in our Firms in HAMBURG and

SANDER & Co. Dated 2nd February, 1886.

### Intimations.



NOTICE TO MARINERS. DANGER TO NAVIGATION.

TIHE MASTER of the British Steamship Stentor, reports that on the 16th Instant, he passed A WATER-LOGGED JUNK, 8 miles South of BREAKER POINT The Stern of the Junk was above water, the remainder of her being nearly awash.

R. MURRAY RUMSEY, Rt.-Com., R.N., Acting Harbour Master, de.

HARBOUR DEPARTMENT, Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

THE HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that An EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED, will be held at the REGISTERED OFFICE of the Company, Peddar's Street, Victoria, Hongkong, at Noon, on THURSDAY, the 4th day March, 1886, for the purpose of Confirming the Resolution for amending the Article of Association by striking out Article 34 and substituting in lieu thereof an Article provided for the subdivision of the existing Shares of \$160 each of the said Company. and which was duly proposed and passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of the Company

If the aforesaid Resolution be duly confirmed, a Resolution for the subdivision of the existing Shares of the Company of \$100 each into Shares of \$25 each will be proposed at such Meeting, and if passed by the requisite majority will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution to a subsequent-Extraordinary General Meeting to be duly con-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

THE HONGKONG DAIRY. R. KENNEDY having received number of First Class MILCHCOWS

is again in a position to SUPPLY his old oustomers and the Community with FRESH Orders sent to the REPOSITORY will be nunctually attended to.

334 Scotch Tweed Hongkong, February 17, 1886. THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC--TURING-OOMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Second Ordinary General MEET-ING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, 20th February, I terms of Stylish at Eleven o'Clock in the Forencon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Tweeds of General Managers, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Au- Good value to

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from 5th to 20th February.

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 30, 1886.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Eighth Ordinary Annual MEET, ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the OFFICE depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 of the General Acents, Peddar's Street on SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at-

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY, the 9th 4. Interest at the rate of 35 per cent. per to the 20th Instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, February 5, 1886. LUZON SUGAR REFINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Fourth Ordinary Annual General THE Seventeenth Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Bank if marked On Hongkong the above Company will be held at the the above Company will be held at the Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free Offices of the General Agents, Peddar's Offices of the Company, Peddar's Street, by the various British Post Offices in Street, on SATURDAY, the 20th February on TUESDAY, the 23rd February instant, Hongkong and China. current, at Half-past Three o'Clock p.m., at 2.30 p.m., to receive a Statement of 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, for the purpose of receiving the Report of Accounts to the 31st December, 1885, the but the personal attendance of the the General Agents, together with a State- Report of the General Managers, and to depositor or his duly appointed agent, ment of Accounts to the 31st December, elect a Consulting Committee and Anditors.

> will be OLOSED from the 9th to the 20th depast bebruary instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., . General Agents.

Hongkong, February 5, 1886.

Business Notices.

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TATILL Burn any mineral Oil, consuming less per Candle light than any other Lamp known.

No smell under any condition. Cannot by any possible accident explode.

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LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. are now SELLING these LAMPS in a variety of ELEGANT PATTERNS. FRO PRICE FROM \$8.00 EACH.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, February 12, 1886.

#### Victoria Elotel. Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a colendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government . Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horals in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description.

An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious,

large DINING . Hall. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.

Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

BOOKS ON NAVIGATION AND MARINE ENGINEERING. Reed's 'Engineer's Hand Book.' 'Particulars of Marine Engines, Boilers, &c.' Winton's 'Modern Steam Practice and

Seaton's 'Manual of Marine Engineering. Molesworth's 'Pocket Book of Engineering Norries' 'Navigation.' Formulæ. Shock on Steam Boilers Instructions to Surveyors of Ships. for Marine Engineers.

First Class Engineers. Lee's 'Laws of Shipping and Insurance.'
'Dangers of the Modern Rule of the Road at Sea,' by Capt. Colomb.

Donaldson's 'Drawing and Royal Sketching | Bedford's 'Sailor's Pocket Book.' Lighthouses of the World and Fog Signals. Donaldson's 'Rough Working Drawings for Burdwood's 'Sun's True Bearing or Azimuth Tables.' Davis' 'Sun's True Bearing or Azimuth Tables.' Stevens on Stowage. KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONOKONG.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE (FOR CASF).

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MONDAY NEXT, 1st February, 1886, TYTITH B View to make Room for NEW SPRING GOODS, a large portion of their STOCK at greatly reduced prices.

THE SEASON'S ACCUMULATION OF REMNANTS, REMNANTS OF SILES, DRESS GOODS, PRINTS, CALICORS, LININGS, CLOTES, FLANNELS, CRETONNES, RIBBONS, LACES, NEEDLEWORK, &c., &c., &c.

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Exceptionally select from.

While advertising our 'Specialties' we also wish to draw the attention of our Customers to now, complete Stock of TWEED SUITINGS, COAT. INGS, TROUSERINGS, SER-GES, FLANNELS, &c. A large and choice selection of the newest FABRICS of English, Scotch and Continental Manufacture, from medium to the very finest

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qualities.

Hongkong, October 1, 1885.

Intimations. JARDINE, MATHESON & Up.'s PIERS AND GODOWY WEST POINT.

airy, and well suited for the STORAGE SHER, COTTON and WOOLLEN PIECE GOODS, as well as GENERAL MERCHANDISE. Advances made on Cargo stored. · For Rates and further Particulars, apply to the MANAGER, or to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1885. HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 23rd JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.

Hongkong, February 5, 1886.

THESE are now in Working Order, - REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, can hence-STEAMERS are BERTHED at the Wharf, forward be obtained by RETAIL, TOR and Cargo received and ground at Cheap CASH, at No. 3, Perl Street, at the same prices as at the REFIXERY; or Retail The GODOWNS are two storied, dry, Orders will be delivered at addresses in Requirements in writing direct to the REFINERY at East Point. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Agents. Hongkong, July 27, 1885.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

respectfully informed that, if upon the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand. Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention In the Event of Complaints being found

signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction. D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

NOTICE.

Intimations.

TAOR the Convenience of Customers, the

Productions of the CHIRA SUGAR town on applicants forwarding their Monthly Rockery, Robinson Road,-

CHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are

necessary, Communication with the Under-

Intimations.

ONGKONG FLOWER SHOW.

THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL EXHIBI TION will be hold in the BOTANIC TO-DAY AND TO-MORROW,

the 18th and 19th February, 1886. ALL EXEIBITS must be Entered not later than the 16th Instant, and PLANTS IN POTS

should be sent in on the 17th Instant. By kind permission of Colonel Foster and the Officers, the Band of the Northamp tonshire Regiment will play in the Gardens, TO-DAY, commencing at 3 o'clock, and TO-MORROW, by the courtesy of Admiral RIEUNIEE, the Band of the French at the same hour.

Admission:-First Day, \$17 Second Day,

Tickets for the First Day may be obtained from Lane, Crawford & Co. Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from

W. M. B. ARTHÜR, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF, GODOWN AND CARGO-BOAT COMPANY.

THE Company will receive STEAMERS and Salling Vessels alongside their Wharves at Kowloon, and Land, Re-ship, and/or Store General Cargoes, Silk, OPIUM, COTTON, GRAIN OF MERCHANDISE IN First-Class Granite Godowns at Cheap Rates. Also Coars in specially constructed Sheds. For the convenience of Commanders and Storers the Company's launch Hongkong will convey to and fro those interested FREE OF CHARGE, starting from the Pedder's Wharf every hour from 6 a.m. to 5 p.m., and

from the Wharf at Kowloon at the half-For further Particulars, apply to W. KERFOOT HUGHES,

Pedder's btreet. Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Seventeenth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 45, Queen's Road, Victoria, at THREE O'CLOCK in the AFTERNOON of TUESDAY. the 23rd February instant, for the purpose -310 of receiving a Statement of Accounte, and

> ending 31st December, 1885. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 23rd Instant, both days inclusive. By Order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

> > Secretary.

the Report of the Directors for the year

Hongkong, February 5, 1886.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from Dr. HUNGERFORD, to Sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY, the 22nd February, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his Residence, No. 3, Morrison Hill,-THE WHOLE OF HIS

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising :---ORETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, OTTOMAN, BLACKWOOD MARBLE-TOP TABLES and TEA-POYS, VIENNA CHAIRS, and DAVENPORT.

Extension Dining Table, Sideboard, WHATNOTS DINNER, DES-ERT and BREAK-FAST SETS, GLASS and PLATED WARE, DU-FRIDAY, the 19th Instant, at 4 p.m. PLEX KEROSINE TABLE LAMPS. Double and Single IRON BEDSTEADS, DOUBLE-WINGED WARDROBE, TOILET TABLE

and GLASS, and WASHSTAND. A COTTAGE PIANO, by LUNAU LUBEOR PLANTS.

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE. - As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, February 16, 1886. AUCTION SALE OF

ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. have been

TUESDAY, the 23rd February, 1886, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of S. G. BIRD, Esq., The

instructed to Sell by Public Auction,

THE WHOLE OF HIS ELEGANT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. comprising:--

ORETONNE-COVERED CHAIRS, COUCHES, BLACK WALNUT WHATNOIS, SIDE TABLES MIRRORS, GARALIER, CARPETS, FENDERS, DINING TABI I, SIDEBOARD, GLASS, OROCK-ERY and LATED WARE, BRASS BEDSTEADS, SPRING MATTRESSES, WARDROBE with MIRtheir arrival in this Harbour, NONE of ROB FRONT, DRESSING TABLES, TOILET

> A COTTAGE PIANO, by J. BRINSMEAD day, the 22nd Instant, from 10 o'Clock till

> The Furniture will be on view on Mon-4 o Clock p.m. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

Auchoneers. Hongkong, February 15, 1886.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS, ENAMELS, CURIOS, &c.

THE Undersigned will offer FOR SALE 1. by Public Auction, on SATURDAY,

the 20th February, 1886, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Duddell Street,-VERY RARE AND VALUABLE COLLECTION

OLD CHINESE PORCELAINS

For Freight or Passage, apply to AND CURIOS, which have just been imported into this Colony from the Northern Provinces: of China, where they have been Hongkong, February 17, 1886. collected with a great deal of trouble and expense.

THIS VALUABLE COLLECTION comprises FINE SPECIMENS OF PORCELAIN VASES, JARS. TO MORROW, Sailors and Soldiers in Basins, Bottles, Plates, &c , of the Mind Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates Uniform and Schools will be admitted DYNASTY, the reigns of the Manthoo Emperors Kang-HI, YUNG-CHING, KIEN-LOONG, CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and and others in Five Colours, Blue and WHITE, BLACK and GOLD, SANG DE BEUF, and IMPERIAL BLACK, GREEN, YELLOW, and other DECORATIONS.

Capt. Milligan, will be despatched as above on PERIN ENAMELS. OLD EMBROIDERIES. FINE BAMBOO CARVINGS, OLD BRONZES, MONDAY, the 22nd Instant. Five Coloured and Blue and White, Old PORCELAIN, SCREENS, and a variety of other For Freight or Passage, apply to Catalogues will be issued previous to the

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, -Sale, and the Articles will be on view on Hongkong, February 15, 1886. Friday, the 19th Instant. TERMS OF SALE.—As customary. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

G. R. LAMMERT.

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 13, 1886.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM & CHAMPAGNE. WEDNESDAY, the 24th Instant, Dubos Frères & de Gernon & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS AND WHITE WINES.

WHISKY, 871 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, July 18, 1884.

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Steamers. FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-

patched for the above Ports, on or about the SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. 25th Inst. The Company's Steamer Phra Chom Klao,
Capt. H. STRATTON, will
be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 19th Instant,

at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG, Agenti. Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

FOR SHANGHAL

COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAL

and Ports on the YANGTSZE.)

Captain Hogo, will be despatched as above on

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

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FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY

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Capt. Williams, will be

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SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at 4 p.m.

This Vessel has unusually good Cabin

Accommodation, situated smidships, upon

AUSTRO-HUNGABIAN LLOYD'S

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STEAM FOR

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(Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL

OUTTA, PERSIAN GULF, BLACK

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and Passege, apply to the Agency of the

Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

Company, Praya Central

For further Particulars, regarding Freight

The Co.'s Steamship

O. BACHRACH,

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SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 3, 1886.

the upper deck.

The Steamship

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Whampoa,

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General Managers.

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Hongkong, February 17, 1886.

The Co.'s Steamship

Fooksang,

Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSO The Steamship LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TAS-Captain WM. Ports, wil MANIA, &c.) be despatched for the The Steamship above Port on FRIDAY, the 19th Inst., at

Captain GREEN, will be For Freight or Passage, apply to despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 27th Instant, at SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, February 17, 1886 For Freight or Passage, apply to INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

RUSSELL & Co., Agends. Hongkong, February 11, 1886. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates NOTICE. for CHEFOO, TIENTSIN, HANKOW

> COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Saghalien.

SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Hongkong, February 15, 1886.

Commandant Homeny.

will be despatched for

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Commandant Du Temple, will be despatched for

KORE and YOKOHAMA shortly after the arrival of the Mail Steamer from Europe. G. DE CHAMPEAUX. Agent

Hongkong, February 15, 1886 Sailing Vesséls.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The \*AA 1 British Barque W. MALCOLM, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatche

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

The Co.'s Steamsnip

Elektra,

Capt. G. Ragusin, will
be despatched as above FOR VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA. The 3/3 L.1.1. Brilish Barque WM. GRANT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch:

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Hongkong, January 6, 1886.

# For Sale. MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. VICTORIA EXCHANGE. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING ORES. York HAMS. Roll BUTTER. Topocan BUTTER. French BUTTER. EPP'S COCOA. VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA. Pienie TONGUES. Orystallized FRUITS. SAVORY & MOORE'S New Infant FOOD. BARNES & Co.'s JAMS. Potted MEATS. PATE DE FOIS GRAS. Swiss MILK.

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GILBEY'S Sparkling SAUMUR, Pts. & Qts. SACCONE'S MANZANILLA. SACCONE'S Old Invalid PORT. Old Bourbon WHISKY.

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THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

OILMAN'S STORES.

Lowest Possible Prices FOR CASH.

Macewen, Frickel & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1886.

WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.) TYTASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use V of Ladies and Gentlemen, can be had at this Office.—Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL Office.

Intimations. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central on WEDNESDAY, the 3rd March, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to December 31st, 1885. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 18th Instant to the 3rd-March, both days inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. GILLIES, 300 Swatow and Bangkok......Phra Hongkong, February 12, 1886. THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA Sydney and Melbourne, &c .... Whan

DOCK COMPANY.

TOTICE is hereby given that an extra-N ordinary Meeting of Shareholders = will be held at the Registered Office of the above named Company No. 14 Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNES-DAY, the third day of March, 1886, at 3.15 of the clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of passing a Special Resolution to authorize the Board of Directors to increase | H the Capital of the Company by the issue of Two Thousand five hundred (2,500) shares of \$125, each at fifty per cent. premium; N in accordance with the provision of Artithe said Company.

cle No. 7 of the Articles of Association of Dated the 12th day of February, 1886. By order of the Board of Directors. D. GILLIES, Secretary.

SPECIAL RESOLUTION. RESOLVED that the Capital of the Company be increased to the sum of \$1,562,500.00 legally current from time to time in the Colony of Hongkong by the issue of 2500 new shares of \$125.00 each, and that the Directors be authorized to issue these shares at a premium of fifty per cent, as fully paid up shares, similar in all respects to the existing. shares of the Company's capital. Subject to any direction to the contrary that may be given by the meeting that sanctions the increase of capital, all new shares shall be offered to the members in proportion to the existing shares held by them, and such offer shall be made by notice specifying the number of new shares to which the member is entitled, and limiting a time within which the offer, if not accepted, will be deemed to be declined, and after the expiration of such time, or on the receipt of an intimation from the member to whom such notice is given that he declines to accept the Shares offered. the Directors may dispose of the same in such manner as they think

most beneficial to the Company,

## Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAT BANKING

CORPORATION. NTOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of February current, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1885. By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NIOTICE is hereby further given that, immediately after the ()rdinary Meet-EXTRAORDINARY General MEETING will be held at the same place, for the purpose of considering and passing, if approved, a Resolution authorizing the Court of Directors to apply for and accept an Ordinance to renew and supplement the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Ordinance 1866, and to extend for a further term of 21 years, or for such term as the Governor may seem fit, the time for which the said

T. JACKSON. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 12, 1886. HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NTOTICE is hereby given that the N REGISTER of SHARES of the CORPORATION will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 27th February current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors. T. JACKSON. Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 6, 1886.

GRIFFITH'S VIEWS OF HONGKONG NOW READY,

1, DUDDELL STREET. GRIFFITH & Co., MANUFACTURERS

LONDON ÆRATED WATERS 1, DUDDELL STREET,

Continue to Supply: LEMONADE. WATER. GINGERADE. RASPBERRYADE,

&c., &c., At the same Moderate Charges. Hongkong, June 9, 1885.

NOW READY. THE REVENUE OF CHINA.

SERIES OF ARTICLES Reprinted from The China Mail. WITH AN APPENDIX. THIS PAMPHLET is Now Ready, and may be had at the OFFICE OF THIS PAPER.

Messis. Lane, Chawfoud & Co.'s, Messrs. Kelly & Walsh's, And Mr. W. BREWER's.

Destination.

#### To-day's Advertisements. Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL, POSTPONEMENT OF DEPARTURE. STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s & Co. CITY HALL. Steamship.

will leave for the above THE HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIO OLUB places To-MORROW, 19th Inst., at Noon, instead of its previously advertised. Have the honor to announce that the A. McIVER. SECOND PERFORMANCE Superintendent. of the Season will take place, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

THISEVENING 18th February, 1886, at 9 p.m., THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP when will be performed 253 TOM TAYLOR'S COMEDY FOR MANILA (MRECT.) IN 3 Acrs, entitled

'THE OVERLAND ROUTE. Tickets (\$2 each) may be obtained from Messrs. Lane, CRAWFORD & Co.'s, on and after Monday, 15th February. H. M. THOMSETT,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

# Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE:

ITHE S.S. Cassandra, Capt in HAESLOOP, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk, into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Bonts delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the

20th Instant will be subject to rent. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left our Godowns. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, February 13, 1886. NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND SAIGON. THE Company's S.S. Colebes having ar-

rived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, February 15, 1886. To-day's Advertisements NETHERLANDS INDIA STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED FOR BATAVIA, SAMARANG AND SOURABAYA, VIA SAIGON

AND SINGAPORE. The Co. to Steamship Capt. DE HAAN, will be despatched as above or about the 27th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to-JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

Agents. 337 Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Captain. Date of Leaving. Agents.

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Douglas Steamship Co., Limited	150 207		£ 10		£ 117.16.7	ingJune3.4/85	5 % discount, cash
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited 60,000 sharts issued	. 31,212	£ 10	£ 10		£ 117.10.7		25 discount
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WYOMPTT ANGOUS.		105	\$ 125	<b>\$</b> 18,000	s 4.259.01	6 % half year	82 % prem., cash
H'kong & Whampoa Bock Co., Ld	5,000	) 5 120 ) E 10	E 10	£ 9,177.31.1	e 1 597 3 11	10 % and 2 %	\$120 per share
HK. and China Gas Co. Limited.	1,900	井道 八八	4.4		1,000	Conus for 'c4	Old, \$100 per share
Hongkong Hotel Company, Lt	2,000	معمدات خالا	100		\$ 2,236.76	Old, 84 New, 82	New, \$80
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China Sugar Company, Limited	1,250			\$ 30,000		\$10	\$1821 per share
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited Hongkong Bakery Company, Ld	600		) <b>\$</b> 50		3 449.1	810	\$125 n  \$80 n cash
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited	7,00		8 100		8 829.09	0.6	
Perak Tin Mining & Sting Co	5,000			### A		7.0	\$5 n buyers nominal
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Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samata:	40,000	) 8	) 8				
Mining Co. H'kong Rope Manufactory Co., Lo	3,000		) all		First year		865 Cah Par, nominal
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#### SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. February: 17, 1886 :-Peking, British steamer, 954, G. Heuermanu, Wuhu February 13, Rice. - SIEMBSEN

Hangdiow, British steamer, 999, Hunt, Chinking February 13, Rica.-BUTTER FIELD & SWIRE. February 18:-

Fooksang, British steamer, from Wham-

Ningpo, British steamer, from Whampon. Tamsui, British steamer, 919, Vardin, Wuhu February 13, Rice.—BUTTERFIELD &

Parthian, British steamor, 1,040, Mac-Farlane. Saigon February 11, Rice. MELCHERS & Co. Kennett. British steamer, 1,156, J. T. Sanderson, Saigon February 13, Rice .-

DEPARTURES.

. February 18:-

CLEARED.

Phra Chom Klao, for Swatow and Bangkok.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Hangchow, from Chinkiang, 21 Chi

Per Parthian, from Saigon, 12 Chinese.

Per Esmeralda, from Manila, Capt. G.

Wright, 3 Europeans deck, and 15 Chineso

DEPARTED.

Per Celebes, for Amoy, 20 Chinese.

Per Signal, for Hoihow, &c., 80 Chinese.

To DEPART.

Per Stentor, for Singapore, &c., 2 Euro

Per Phra Chom Klao, for Swatow, &c.

Per Fooksung, for Shanghai, 35 Chinese

Per Sumatra, for Singapore, 207 Chinese

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Peking reports: Ex-

perienced strong N.E. monsoon and high

sea with dull gloomy weather throughout.

At 9 a.m., Wednesday morning, passed the

The British steamer Tamsui reports

Had strong N.E. monsoon and heavy sea.

The British steamer Kennett reports

Experienced strong N.E. winds with head

sea. On the 17th inst., had strong gale,

The British steamer Esmeralda reports

fog and drizzling rain, with heavy sea.

Stentor, for Singapore and London.

Sumatra, for Singapore and Bombay.

Signal, for Holhow and Pakhoi.

Ta Hongkong, for Bangkok.

Pearl, for Amoy.

Ægean, for Snigon.

Fooksang, for Shanghai.

Palamed, for Singapore.

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Hangchow, for Whampoa,

Tamsus, for Whampoa.

Peking, for Whampoa...

Cicero, for Kutchinotzu.

Southern Chief, for Haiphong.

Cassandra for Yokohama.

Captain Tayler, will be despatched for the above Esmeralda, British steamer, 395, G. Taylor, Manila February 15, General. Port on SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at 5 p.m., instead of as previously advertised. RUSSELL & Co. Albany, British str., 1,489, Ed. Porter eight or Passage, apply to Saigon February 13, Rice. - ADAMSON, BELL RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

COMPANY, IMITED.

The Co. Steamship

FOR HOIHOW AND BANGKOK. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Company's Steamer Taichiow. Capt. J. Newton, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 21st Instant, at

Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AN HAMBURG, VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Steamship

Captain Voss, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 27th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

TTONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB-RACES 1886, 24th, 25th and 26th Feb uary.

Rule 15. —Admission to the Grand Stand and ENCLOSURE for MEMBERS of JOCKEY CLUB, Free; for Non-Members, \$5 for the Meeting. For Admission to the New Stand

309 St per diem. Rule 16.—Tickets or Admission to the GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE to be had on application to J. THURBURN, Esq., Hon. Treasurer, and at the Gate on Race Days. No one admitted without a Ticket, to be

shown to the Gate-keeper. H. J. H. TRIPP, Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

HONGKONG JOOKEY CLUB. THE STEWARDS request the pleasure of the Presence of the LADIES at the GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE during the RACES on the 24th, 25th and 26th Instant.

\_\_\_Bv\_Order\_:: H. J. H. TRIPP, Clerk of the Course.

Hongkong, February 18, 1886.

#### Had strong N.E. breeze to port; Easterly gales with high sea throughout. The British steamer Albany reports Had strong winds from N.E. to E.N.E. throughout and very heavy sea. On 13th February, steamers in Saigon, Harter, Lennox, Stanmore, Madras and Gaiveston. POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close: For SINGAPORE. Per McBeth, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 19th inst.

For STRAITS AND BOMBAY .-Per Sumatra, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 19th inst., instead of as previously notified. For SAIGON .-

Per Ascalon, at 2.30 p.m., on Friday, the 19th inst. Per Vorligern, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, the 19th inst.

For SHANGHAL -Per Ninopo, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the ---19th inst. Per Fook ang. at 3.30 p.m., on Friday, the 19th inst.

For MANILA. Per Esmeralda, at 4.30 p.m., on Friday, the 19th inst. For HAIPHONG. Per Nam vian, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the

10th inst., instead of as previously notified. For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS-LAND, COUKTOWN, TOWNS-VILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, MELBOURNE, &c., &c., &c.-Per Whampoa, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday,

the 20th inst. For HOIHOW & BANGKOK.-Per Taichiow, at 5 p.m., or Saturday, the 20th inst.

For SINGAPORE.-Per Lydia, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 20th inst. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & TAIWANFOO.

Per Thules, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 20th Inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. Per Teheran, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the

4th March.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Djemnah will be despatched on TUESDAY

Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Manritius, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET .-The United States Mail Packet Oceanic will 29rd instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :---

2.15 P.M. Registry ceases. pondence may be posted on beard the Packet with Late Res of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

# MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW

Flower Show.

Shipping. Noon. Sumatra leaves for Bombay, &c. 2 p.m. Phra Chom Klao leaves Swatow and Bangkok. 1 p.m. -Fooksang leaves for Shanghai. & p.m .- Ninglo leaves for Shanghal. Miscellaneous.

General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, February 20 :-- . 11 a.m. Mecking of Shareholders of The Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Com-2 p.m.—Auction of Old Chinese Percelains and Curios, &d., at Mr G. R. Lammert's. 3 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of the Luzon Sugar Rolling Co., Ltd., at the General Agents' office.

3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of the

China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., at the

this date subject to rent. MONDAY, February 22 :-- : 2 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at the residence of Dr. Hunger ford, No. 3, Morrison Hill.

General Agents' office.

Goods per Celebes undelivered after this date subject to rent. TUESDAY. February 23 :--2 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture &c., at the residence of S. G. Bird,

Esq., 'The Rockery,' Robinson Road. 2.30 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Fire Insurance Co. Ltd., at the Company's office, Peddar's 3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of The China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd., at No.

45, Queen's Road. SATURDAY, February 27 :-Noon.-Mosting of Shareholders of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at the City Hall.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

GOODS are now being SOLD OFF REDUCED PRICES:

BONBONS AND CRACKERS in great variety ORNAMENTAL BUXES. CHOCOLATE CREAMS. CRYSTALLISED FRUITS.

CONFECTIONER OF ALL KINDS. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.

Hongkong, January 20, 1886. The publication of this issue commenced

at 7.50 p.m. The China Mail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 18

TELEGRAMS.

(Via Southern Line.) London, 17th February, 1886. THE SILVER QUESTION. The Coinage Committee has decided

adopt a firm policy and has given a decision adverse to the free coinage of silver. THE GRECIAN DIFFICULTY. The Daily News publishes a statement

the effect that it is in contemplation to dis oured by all good men, there is this inscripable the Greek fleet immediately.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SURZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND :- Marie, December 29 Canton, January 1; Compton, Wladivostock, Jan. 8; Marcia, Jan. 12; Horseguards, Rhodora, Jan. 15; Formosa, Jan. 22; Norden, Jan. 26; Pandora, Abstara, January 29; Gamorganshire, Feb. 5; Ava, Glenroy, Feb. 9; Luertes,

Yokshire, Feb. 16. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Hector, Feb. 2; Claymore, Feb. 5 Agamemnon, Glenlyon, Feb. 9; Titania, Feb. 16.

on or about Sanday, the 21st inst. on or about Tuesday, the 23rd inst, expected fore about the 24th just

about the 22nd inst. dica left Port Darwin on 13th inst. and may be expected here about 23rd inst. The Austro-Hungarian Lloyds Steam Navigation Co.'s steamship Elektra left

Singapore for this port on the 16th instant, and may be expected he about the 23rd instant. The O. S. S. Co. & steamer Deucalion left Singapore for this port on the 15th inst., and may be expected here on o about the 23rd inst The Glon Line steamer Glengarry left Sin gapore on the 18th instant, and may be expected here about the 25th inst.

DOCK MOVEMENTS :--The Geat Surgeon left Kowloon Dock

Messas Jardine, Matheson & Co. inform the 23rd Instant, with Mails for the us that the B.S. Taisang from Calcutta left United Kingdom, Europe, and places Singapore for this port yesterday, the 17th beyond, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits

> MESSES Jardine, Matheson & Co. inform us that the Glen Line steamer Glengary left Singapore for this port to-day, the

THE Agent of the M. M. Co. inform ha be despatched on TUESDAY, the mails &c., left Saigon for this port to-day

A MARINE Court of Inquiry will be held at the Harbour Master's Office to-morrow, the 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Corres- 19th inst., at 10.30 a.m., to inquire into the the steamer Douglas.

Messes Russell & Co. inform us that the E. A. S. S. Co. s steamer Airlie, which left Hongkong on the 14th ulto. for Australia via Singapore and Java ports, arrived at Sydney on the 14th instant.

A PICK-UP foot ball match (Association Rules) will be played at the Race Course to-morrow, at 4.15. Members of the Football Club are requested to attend, as the number of those who are able to play will, to a great extent, decide whether or not the Association Game can be played.

THE British steamer Peking, Capt. Heuermann, reports having passed at 9. o'clock yesterday morning, when about 12 miles South of Chelang Point, the wrecked null of a junk. This is probably the same derelict as that which was passed by the Stentor Goods per Cassandra undelivered after South of Breaker Point on the previous

> lan case against Chang Chi, the man whose rendition has been applied for by the Chinese Government on a charge of murder and piracy, was again before Mr. Wise at the Police Court this morning; and, after two witnesses for the prosecution had been examined, was further remanded till Monday next. Another man, believed to be a brother of the prisoner Chang Chi, has been arrested in the Colony on a charge of complicity in the murder and piracy, but the charge against him has not yet been heard.

#### THE LATE MR BULKELEY JOHNSON.

The record of a life, notable in Hongkong

and China, during a period of well nigh forty years, was closed at Cannes on Monday night last, when Mr Bulkeley Johnson passed over to the majority. Few mon took a more lively interest in public affairs than he did and fewer still were prepared to make such sacrifices of time and convenience for the vindication of principles to which he attached importance. He was a master in politico-economic science, and, being a graceful writer and fluent speaker, he did much to stem the growing tendency to sacrifice future possibilities to what might appear to be present advantage. The war he waged in our local parliament in defence of truth and right and social decency is too fresh in the memory of our readers to require to be recalled in detail, but the period of repose and honest work we are now enjoying intensifies our feeling of gratitude for his untiring exertions to relieve the Colony of the incubus, under which it groaned. A Radical in the truest sense, he always examined every question that presented itself to him without reference to tradition, but he was constructive not destructive, never abandoning anything defensible merely because it was old, nor until he was in a position to suggest an improvement... The records of our Chamber of Commerce bear testimony to his power of work and great ability, and many of his despatches to our local Government, H. M. Minister to Pekin, and the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, are exhaustive of the subjects on which they treat and models of clear and cogent exposition.

He was a warm friend and a chivalrous opponent, and to those of his context raries who remain in the East, or who live returned home to enjoy a period of rest to after toil, his removal will create a blank it will be impossible to refill. On the tumb of one whose hame is non-

tion 'He tried to do his duty.' Of few who have lived in our community can this statement be made with so much truth as of Mr Bulkeley Johnson, and his endeavours were rewarded with a measure of success attained only by the most earnest. Mr Johnson's connection with the Far-East was a long and honourable one; and his name was known and respected in most of the treaty ports of China and Japan, He came out first to China when quite a young man, about 1850, and, settling down in Hongkong, not long siter became a partner in the firm of Measra Johnson & Co., merchants, who then carried on business in Gough Street. He remained in The next French Mair, per the M. M. this firm for some fifteen years, when the Co.'s steamer Sauhalien, left Saigon for House closed, and he was then invited this port on Thursday, the 18th inst., to join the house of Messrs Jardine, Matheat 1 a.m., and may be expected here son & Co., with whose fortune he has since been associated. On the departure of the HE P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer City of Rio | Hon. Mr Keswick for Home on a holiday, de Janeiro left Yokohama-for this port Mr Johnson became the managing partner on Wednesday, the 17th instant, at of the firm here, and also took up the teat day ight, and may be expected here of his brother partner in the Legislative Council. He also became chairman of the he S. S. Taisang, from Calcutta, left Sin- local Chamber of Commerce, and in this cagapore on the 17th inst, and may be pacity did yeoman service in advancing British interests, notably in exposing the shortcomings of the Treaty with Korea negotiated The O. S. S. Co.'s steamship Jason, by Admiral Willes. On his departure for from London, left Singapore on the Home in March, 1884, Mr Johnson was 13th inst., and will be due here on the presented with a very flattering address; which was extensively signed by the mem-The S. S. Strathleven, from New York, bors of the community, as a mark of their left Singapore for this port on the 15th appreciation of the public services rendered inst; and may be expected here on or by him in the Legislative Conneil and as Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce. The E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamship Tanna- Mr Johnson was about 58 years of age.

> THE ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW, The Annual Flower Show of the Hongkong Horticultural Exhibition Society was opened this afternoon in the Public Cardens. The weather was scarcely so congenial as might have been wished, the sky being dull and cloudy and a cold raw wind blowing from the East, making standing about rather uncomfortable. Despite these drawbacks, however, a considerable number of the English and foreign community visited the Show during the afternoon, and manifested much interest in the various exhibits. The number of these is scarcely up to that of last year, but the plants and flowerashow an improvement in their cultivation. which is, perhaps, more satisfactory than if there had been more of them. The most noticeable improvement is in the table decorations, the whole of which are eleganting appearance, and reflect much credit on the skill and good taste of the ladies who exhibit them. The first prize in class 44, prepared by Mrs Manson, is composed of white crysanthemums and mative force attractive decoration; while the first exhibit in wild flowers, by Mrs Davie, composed of brown and black berries and brakes of a rich brown hative ferns, is also an exceedingly handsome and effective set-off to a table Altogether this pare of the Show is very

meritorious, each exhibit being well worthy 20-1 dahlia-1, D. Nowrojee; 2, J. G. T. of a prize. Among the pots in plants, probably the finest specimen of a white lily ever seen in Hongkong and entitled to rank with the best specimens of its kind in England, stands out for special mention, 24-1 hynointh-1, Afuk; 2, J. G. T. Has-It bears about 50 fully developed flowers, and is exceedingly graceful in appearance. Mr Hassell is the exhibitor. Mr Woodin's collection of annuals is very good, the specimen of the desert pen, a very diffi--cult plant to rear, being exceptionally so. In this class there were only three or four exhibitors, and the specimens shown were, as a whole, of a rather inferior character. In folian plants, which comes next on the list, Bar Hassell exhibited a really excellent specimen of the croton maculata, which has evidently been well trained and well cultivated. Mr. Nowrojce also showed three | 35-1 tree fern--(no prizes). very fair specimens of crotons, which might | 36-6 ferns, indigenous to Hongkong-1. have won the first prize if they had not been rather bare about the legs. Some valuable plants in this class were discarded ! owing to their being out of condition; they had evidently suffered from the recent cold weather. As usual ferns were well represented; and some of the specimens, especially the maiden hair ferns shown by Mr Woodin, were well grown, and bore distinct evidence of careful cultivation. The ferns indigenous to Hongkong were a very regular Mr Woodin is the winner of the 'Beli ·lios Silver medal! given for the best general exhibit of ferns. With the exception of those which were awarded the first prize, the camellas were an exceptionally poor lot and hardly worth mention. The dahlias were also scarcely up to the average. Though the plants were good, the flowers were very coarse and indifferent in bloom. The tender geraniums seem to have suffered most from the cold weather, and the exhibits this year were much behind in quality to former years. The roses, also, though it seems sacrilege to say so, were very poor specimens, and failed to uphold their glorious reputation as the Queens of the Garden. The crysanthemums, however, were at least equal to those of last and the first prize was wen by a very well trained lot exhibited by Mr Nowrojee. Among the single annuals. Mr Hassell exhibited a well grown specimen of the 'snap dragen.' Of asters | 48-2 Heads of Celery, dwarf-1, E. L. there has never been a better show, both Chinese and English being numerously and well represented. The cut flowers, though small in number, were very pretty. Mr Hassell shows three handsome camellia blooms, one of which is unique in its sp-

Mr Holmes. Entomologists will be interested in a curiosity, which is shown in the matshed set | 58-2 ,, a Cabbage-1, D. Nowrojes: apart for table decorations. A small vegetable insect, resembling a vegetable leaf so | 59-1 Dish Parsley-1, E. L. Woodin-; 2, closely in appearance that it is only on minute examination of the leaf on which it | 60-50 Pods of Poss-E. L. Woodin; J. G. is feeding that its presence can be discovered, is there exhibited by Mr Romano: 61-50 Pods of Beans, French-D. Nowrowhose gardener found it at Pokfulam. -where, we understand, it is found in conraiderable numbers.

harmoniously blended, and is really a most

Davis obtained a special prize of a curiosity

The arrangements for the accommodation of the exhibits this year were Adecided improvement on last year, and afforded much better opportunity for their display. The Judges and Mr Westland. the Agreement of the Afforestation Deartment, were as usual most conscientious, untiring and painstaking in their duties, and deserve the hearty thanks of exhibitors and visitors alike. The following are the names of the

Flowers and Pot Plants-Mr H. P. Tennant (of Foochow) and Mr A. B Westland Table Decorations-Captain Bunbury and Mr H. P. Tennant. European Vegetables-Mr F. Rapp and

Mr J. D. Hamphreys. Chinese Vegetables-Mr J. H. Cox and Mr H. J. Holmes. Mr W. M. B. Arthur performed the

duties of Secretary. The Belilios Cups have not yet been The following are the names of the Com-

mitteo :- J. M. Armstrong, Esq., Chair-Esq.; J. H. Cox, Esq.; E. George, Esq.; 77-2 Couve Tronchoudas-J. G. T. Hasman and Hon. Treasurer; C. P. Chater, H. J. Holmes, Esq.; W. K. Hughes, Esq. F. Rapp, Esq.: A. G. Romano, Esq.: A. E Vaucher, Esq., Y. J. Y. Vernon, Esq. (absent); A. B. Westland, Esq.; E. L. Woodin. Esq.; W. M. B. Arthur, Esq., Honorary Secretary.

The following programme was performed by the Band of the Northamptonshire Regiment, under Bandmaster Moran. excellent style, and was highly appreciated 83.4 kinds of vegetables-1, Kam Alum by the visitors to the Show :-

March....'I love thee dearly'...Morelli. Selection. 'Carmen' Valso ..... 'Mikado'. Buccalossi. Fantasia... Offenbachiana ....Offenbach R-si ..... Fantasia. Germania ...... Zavertal. Valse ..... With the Stream .... Hartman. Selection. Vittore Pisani ...... Peri.

The following is the Prize List :-PLANTS IN POTS.

1-6 annuals-1, E. L. Woodin; 2, J. G T. Hassell. Mr Woodin's collection comprised the following annuals :-- White Candytuft. Capariensis, (creeper), Mimulus, Linara. Clianthus, Damperii, (the Glory Pes of Australia), and Pansies. Mr. Hessel's annuals were :- Suap Dragons, Pausies, Princula, Canariensis, Candytuft and Mignonette (extremely good).

2-3 foliage plants-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 3-3 flowering plants-1, J. G. T. Hassell 4-3 camelline 1, E. L. Woodi, 2, C. P.

5-2 dahlias-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, C. P. -3 geraniums, single-1, J. G. T. Has-

sell; 2, E. L. Woodin. 7-3 geraniams, double-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, E. L. Woodin. 8-3 roses-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, D. Nowroice. 9-3 chrysanthemums-1, D. Nowrojee.

10-2 chrysanthemums-1, J. G. T. Hessell; 2, H. N. Mody. 11-1 chrysanthemum-1, H. N. Mody

12-1 fir woring plant-1, J. G. T. Hassell 13-1 foliage plant-1. Afuk! 2. J. G. T.

Hassell. 14-1 camellia-1, J. G. T. Hassell. 15-1 rose-1, D. Nowrojee; 2, J. G. T.

- Hassell 16-2 asters. Chinese -1, D. Nowrojes; 2 J. G. T. Hassell. 17-2 asters, English-1, D. Nowrojes 1

18-1 nater-1, D. Nowrojee ; 2, C. P. 19-1 annual-1. J. G. T. Hassell; 2. K

21-1 geranium-1, D. Nowrojes, 2, J. G. 22\_2 azaleas\_1, D. Nowrojee; 2, Afuk. J. G. T. Hassell; 2, D. Nowrojee.

25-1 gladiolus-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, H. 26-1 pelargonium-(no prizes). 27-1 orchid-1, E. L. Woodin; 2, Aluk. 28-1 daphne-1, D. Nowrojee; 2. Afuk. 29-1 lily-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, Afuk.

30-1 narciesus-1, Chi Aking; 2, J. G. T. 31-1 palm-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, D. 32-1 pot of pansies-1, E. L. Woodin; 2, 3J-1 pot Chinese primulas-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, D. Nowrojec.

34-3 ferns-1, E. L. Woodin : 2, J. G. T. Hassell. E. L. Woodin; 2, D. Nowrojec. 37-6 forns-1, E. L. Woodin; 2, D. Now-

OUT PLOWERS. 38-4 camellin blooms-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, D. Nowrojee. 39-4 chrysanthernum blooms-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, D. Nowrojee. 40-4 rose blooms-1, J. G. T. Hassell;

2, D. Nowrojee. 41-6 bunches cut flowers, dissimilar, (each bunch to consist of one variety only)-1, J. G. T. Hassell. 42-stumps or rockwork with ferns and/or creepers-1, E. L. Woodin; 2, D.

43-hand bouquet-1, Mrs J. H. Cox: 2. Mrs Shuster. —water bouquet—extra prize, Mrs Davis 44-table decorations-1, Mrs Manson; 2,

45-table decorations of wild flowers-1 Mrs Davis; 2, Miss Adams. The following ladies also exhibited table decorations :- Mrs Jackson, Mrs J. H Cox, Miss E. Adams, Mrs Ede, Mrs Hartigan and Miss Anderson.

46-6 kinds of Vegetables-1, E. L. Woodin 2 D. Nowrojee: 3, C. P. Chater. 47-2 Heads of Celery, large-1, E. L. Woodin: 2. P. Forbes.

Woodin: 2. J. G. T. Hassell. 49-6 Beet Roots (long)-1, Mrs J. H. Cox; 2. J. G. T. Hassell. | 50-6 Beet Roots (short or round)-1, D. Nowrojee; 2, J. G. T. Hassell. 51-6 Carrots (long)-1, D. Nowrojee; 2, J. G. T. Hässell. 52 6 Carrots (short or early)-1, C. P. Cha-

pearance. In class 41, a bunch of lilies was ter; 2, D. Nowrojee. conspicuous for its beauty. The button-53\_6 Paranips-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, E. hole bouquets were all too heavy. Mrs L. Woodin : 3, D. Nowrojee. 54-2 Cauliflowers-1, C. P. Chater: 2, D. in the shape of a water bouquet. The vegetables were very numerous, but none 55-2 Cabbages-1, C. P. Chater; 2, D. of the exhibits entitle them to any particular mention, Very creditable exhibitions Nowrojee. of fruit were made by Mr Nowrojee and | 56-2 Cabbages Red-1, E. L. Woodin ; 2.

J. G. T. Hassell. 57-2 Lettuce Cos-No award. 2, H. N. Mody. C. P. Chaten

jee ; 2, E. L. Woodin. 62-25 Pods of Beans, Broad-1, E. L. Woodin: 2. None. 63-25 Potatos, white-1, J. G. T. Hassell 2. E. L. Woodin. 64-25 Potatos, red-1, P. Forbes; 2, J. G. T. Hassell 65-6 Turnips-1, H. J. Holmes; 2, C. P

66-6 Turnips, Swedes-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, D. Nowrojce. 67-12 Outons-1, D. Nowrojee : 2. J. G. T. Hassell 68-12 Leeks -1, E. L. Woodin; 2, D

69-12 Shallots-No prizes. 70-25 Radishes, Turnip roofed-1, H. N. Mody; 2, C. P. Chater. 71-25 Radishes, Long-1, C. P. Chater: 2, E. L. Woodin. 72-6 Kohl Rabi-1, D. Nowrojee; 2, H

73-2 Savoys-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2. E. L. Woodin. 74\_50 Brussels Sprouts-1, E. L. Woodin 2. J. G. T. Hassell. 75-12 Tomatos-1, E. L. Woodin: 2, J. G. T. Hassell

76-2 Vegetable Marrows-1, D. Newrojee; 2. E. L. Woodin. 78-6 Horse Radish -1, J. G. T. Hassell 79-2 Scotch Kail-1, D. Novrojee ; 2, H.

80-Arrowroot-1, H. N. Mody; 2, J. G T. Hassell 81 - Salad. 6 kinds at least-1. J. G. T 82-Best collection of Sweet & Pot Herbs-1, J. G. T. Hassell; 2, E. L. Woodin. 2, Akit ; 3, Kam Apo. 84-2 heads of celery-1. Fung Alum: Ko Afau: 3. Fong Akwai. 85-6 beet roots, (short) -1, Fung Akan 2. Fong Akwai; 3. Ko Afau.

86-6 beet roots, (long)-1, Akit; 2, Tak Ho: 3, Ko Awai. 87-6 carrots-1, Chan Apo; 2, Akit; 3 Fing Apn. 88-2 cauliflowers-1, Akit; 2, Kwok Un 3. Ko Awing.

89-2 cabbages-1, Tak Ho; 2, Ko Awing 90-2 cabbages (drumboad)-1, Ohi Aking 2. Fung Akwai : 3. Ko Awing. 91.-2 lettuce, cos.-1, Kam Apo; 2, Ko Awai ; 3, Kau Atune. \_2 lettuce, cabbage\_1. Chan Apo; 2 Fung Akou : 3. Fung Akwai.

93-1 dish of parsley-1, Fung Alum; -Kwok Un; 3, Loung Asam. 94-50 pods of pess-1, Akit; 2, Chan Po 3. Fung Alum. 95-50 pods of beans, French-1, Ko Afan 2. Ko Awing 3, Fung Akwai. 96-25 potatos-1, Kwong Aun; 2, Li Yau

- Tok: 3, Chan Apo. 97-6 turnips-i, Chan Apo; 2, Tak Ho 98-12 shallots-1, Ko Awing; 2, Wong Achong : 3. Fong Akwai. 99-25 radiches-1, Ohi Aking; 2, Fung Apin : 3. Kwok Un. 100-50 brussels sprouts-1, Fung Alum

2, Ko Awai; 3, Kwok Un. 101-12 tomatos-1, Wong Achan; 2, Tal Aho; 3, Kwok Un. 102-6 horse radishes—special to Kam Apo. 103-best collection of sweet and pot herbs -2, Chi Aking 104-2 yame -1, Chun Apoo; 2, Cheung

Ayuk ; 3, Fung Akwan. 105-6 arrow-roots, West Indian-1, Chin Aho ; 2, Fung Apa 106-6 arrow-roots, East Indian-1. Tak Ho: 2. Cheung Aynk; 3, Ko Awing. 107-6 kohl rabi-I, Akit; 2, Chan Apo; 3. Kam Apo. Parnaips-special prize, Kwok Un. Leeks special prize, Akit.

Kali-first prize, Kwok Un. 108 - Best collection of Fruit, (grown in Hongkong-1, D. Nowrojee; 2, H.

PANY, LIMITED. The following is the report for presentstion to the Shareholders of the Luzon Sugar 23-1 pink, carnation or sweet William-1, Refining Co., Limited, at the Fourth Ordinary Annual Meeting, to be held at the offices of the General Agents, (Messrs Jardine, Matheson & Co.,) Pedder's Street, at 3.80 o'clock p.m., on Saturday, the 20th February, 1886 :--

The General Agents beg to submit their Report upon the Working of the Refinery. and a Statement of Accounts for the Year ended 31st Décember, 1885.

The more favorable prospects alluded to in last report were not realized to the extent expected, although stocks were disposed of at prices which gave some profit on cost of production. The extensions to enable charcoal work-

ing to be introduced rendered the closing of the Patent process necessary for a time to effect connections, and refluing was suspended for two months. Work by both processes was however commenced on 28th July, and the mechanical results of the charcoal addition have been quite satisfactory. The Sugar produced is in favor in Spain as well as in the Philippines, and the demand in both markets it is hoped

will stendily increase. Including a small unappropriated amount from last year the balance at credit of Profit and Loss is \$22,094.52, out of which the General Agents and Consulting Committee recommend payment of a dividend of 3 percont, leaving \$1,094.52 to be carried forward to next year.

As will be seen from the accounts the cost of Extension and New Water Supply, after deducting return from Vendors of Patents, is \$98,938.07 on account of which the General Agents have made a Special Advance of \$50,000 free of interest until the Company is in a position to pay a dividend of 7 per cent.

Consulting Committee. - The present members offer themselves for re-election. Auditors.-The Accounts have been audited by Messrs Thos. Arnold and H. M. Bovis, who are recommended for re-clec-

JARDINE MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, 9th February, 1886.

Sist December, 1885.

Unexpired Fire Insurance, ... Carle (Mainbon) Extension & New Water Supply, \$148,838.07

Less—Return from Vendors of Sundry Debtors, Patents, ... ... 5 50,000.00 Steam-Lanneh Precursor, 

Profit and Loss Account. PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT. Interest, ... Consulting Committee's Remuneration, Anditons' Fees, General Agents' and Manila Agents'

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E. & O. E. Honskorg, 9 February, 1886. JARDINE, MATHERON & Co.,

We have examined the Books and Vouchers of Company, and the Returns received from the Manila Agents, and certify that the above Statements are in handed to the third prisoner, who gave THOMAS ARNOLD, Auditors.

HONGKONG ATHLETIC SPORTS. As we briefly reported yesterday a meeting of gentlemen interested in Athletic upon the representation that they were get-Sports was held in the Gymnasium of the Recreation Club yesterday evening.

chair, said the late Secretary, Mr E. R. sports to Mr Foss who would now read the soner went along with him to the police to

Mr Foss said he was glad to be able \$20. Artillery contribution \$20, School prisoner was certainly airested by the Sports Contribution \$20; total \$730. The police. expenditure amounted to 8667.15, leaving ceipt and the bank book for these amounts, village and he understood he had tic the present plan of combining the two said, 'yes, but I cannot get tickets.' offices in one person. Mr Wood regretted Fuk said he had several passages.

plected Hon. Sec. be elected Treasurer, and Mr G. Grimble | wards arrested at the instance of the Capseconded. The proposition was carried tain. The second prisoner the day after unanimously and Mr Young consented to they were on board told them to hide.

Foss, A. Denison, R. K. Leigh, and F. A. the ship, who gave the money to Afuk. The

drawn up. With the exception of one or clerk to the Steam Company. The passage two changes in the order of events it is to tickets shown were not genuine-were not be much the same as last year. The 100 like the real which were Government yards flat race will be the first item, the stamped. He saw the prisoners first at penalty being 12 yards for previous winners, the Police Court. He believed the second as last year. The other events are putting prisoner was the interpretor and cook on the shot, 120 yards flat race handicap, high board the ship during the passage. jump, quarter mile flat race, throwing the P.C. James Ewenson said he went on cricket ball vaulting horse (previous win- board the Keeling on the morning of the ner penalised), soldiers half mile (this year 20th to apprehend six stowaways. When opened to all branches of Government ser he went on board he was told vice. Imperial or Colonial), half mile handi- two of them that they had cap, 120 yards hurdle roce, long jump, money to a cook. They pointed beys' race, Veterans' Race (35 years and the second prisoner. The latter denied. upwards, and ten years residence in the He arrested the second prisoner and took East.) 300 yards flat race. International him to the shop of the first, whom he also Tug-of-War, mile race. All penalties to arrested. stand as last year. The sack race was By Mr Beancis-He arrested the first omitted from the programme and three prisoner at his shop. The first prisoner Beptomber that defendant killed Kwa Sap cost is partly due to increase of the power security were proposed in substitution told him that the men were arrested as -Mr Lookhart proposed a three mile stowsways, to which he replied that they race. Mr Jackson proposed pole jump, had got their tickets,

THE LUZON SUGAR REFINING COM- ing, and Dr. Thompson an obstacle race, and after sume argument Mr Lockhart's proposition for a three mile race was carried -

> Saturday, the 20th March. On the motion of Mr Tripp the meeting passed a vote of thanks to Mr Wood for the able way he had carried out the duties of Secretary at the last Sports, and expressed regret at having lost his valuable assaistance owing to his leaving for England.

A vote of thanks was passed to the Chairman and the proceedings terminated.

SUPREME COURT. IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before Sir G. Phillippo, Chief Justice) Thursday February 18.

THE ALLEGED MUNDER AT HONGHOM. This was the case of Liu Ayau who was arrested on suspicion of being connected with the murder of a boatwoman found dead gagged and tied in her own boat near

Mr A. J. Leach, who was instructed by Messrs Wotton and Deacon, said he had hearing of this case, on the ground that the deposition of the prisoner had been taken only late on Tuesday evening and would He asked that the day be Monday or Tuesday next.

The Chief Justice-Have you communicated with the prisoner. Mr Leach said the prisoner had been communicated with but a further consultation was desired

The Chief Justice—You had better comnunicate with the prisoner to ascertain then you will be able to make the application for fixing a day. The case was afterwards; on the applica-

tion of Mr Leach, adjourned till Tuesday next at cloven o'clock.

SELLING FALSE TICKETS. Lu A-u, Chan Aloi, and Yung Afuk, were charged with obtaining money under false pretence, by representing to Hung Akong and others that certain written pieces of paper or tickets were genuine passage tickets and pole tax tickets for four deck passengers to Sydney, and obtaining for these tickets \$528 while they well knew that these tickets were not genuine.

The Attorney General, instructed by Mr. A. P. Stokes, Acting Crown Solicitor, prosecuted. Mr Francis appeared for the first 6.987.12 prisoner; and Dr. Ho Kai for the third. Dr Ho Kai said the three prisoners were charged together in one indictment, and he had to apply to His Lordship to have them tried separately, first because they were not charged with conspiring together to commit fraud, and secondly because the third prisoner's position was materially different

from the others. The Chief Justice said the prisoners would each be allowed to make a statement, but they must be tried together, The following having been aworn as a inry :- Mesars Albert Dennison, H. B. Polishwalla, Edward John Main, George Coxon, Francis, M. Gonsalves, Robert

Lang and William Ward. The Attorney General said-The three prisoners are charged with having consention together and obtained \$528 from the complainant under false pretences, the false

pretences being that they were giving for \$528 passage tickets to Sydney, including the payment of the pole-tax. The four complainants came to this Colony from their homes in the country, lodged in the house of the first prisoner. The first prisoner said that he could not get them any more ticket to Sydney. This was on the 10th January. On the 19th January he said he could get some tickets. And according they tent off with the third prisoner to the steamer. They paid the money and were presented with four passage tickets and pole tickets. What really took place was this. The money was them the tickets he got from the second prisoner and then they were taken down into the held by the third prisoners who told them that the passage tickets were genuine and proper passage tickets while he well knew that they were false. The complainants state that they paid the money ting good tickets.

Hung A Kong examined by the At torney General gave evidence in corre-Mr H. J. H. Tripp, who was called to the boration of these statements. Cross-examined by Mr Francis-Witness mid he made no charge against Lu A-u the Wood, had left for England and had hand- first prisoner. He did not think he had ed over the papers in connection with the land hand in cheating him. The first pri-

make the charge. Cross-examined by the Chief Justice—He to announce that there was a credit balance | went to the shop of the first prisoner unon the past sports of \$62.85 (Applause). derstanding that he could get a ticket to The receipts were made up as follows :- | Sydney, he stopped at the shop for nine or Donations for prizes \$305, donations by ten days. He stopped so long because Admiral Sir William Dowell \$10, subscrip- | there were no passages, and because it was a tions by list \$235, entrances fees \$120, long journey to the country. He was send-Buffs contribution to cost of matshed, &c., ing some goods to Australia. The second

Hung Chai Chi, farmer, said he came on with the balance in hand before the Sports | 12th January to Hougkong, to get a passage of \$117.08 the total sum on hand \$179.93; to Sydney. He went to the first prisoner's Mr Wood had given him the deposit re- shop, as he was a neighbour in the same and he suggested that there should be a kets for Australia. Afuk came on the treasurer as well as a scoretary in future, 18th and asked A-u whether he had any as being very much more convenient than passengers to Sydney. The first prisoner very much that he could not be here for the the four complainants seeing A Fuk there coming sports, and he wished them every asked for tickets, but were told by the first prisoner they must hand over the money The accounts were passed unanimously. | when they went to the ship. They went to On the proposition of Mr Foss, seconded | the ship on the 19th at 12 o'clock. He saw by Mr A. H. Jackson, Mr Hayllar was the second prisoner on board the ship. The second prisoner was the man who gave the Mr Lockhart proposed that Mr W. Young tickets to the third prisoner, and was after-

Afat Hoi said he was a farmer and All old members of the Committee in the from a neighbouring village. He came to colony were re-elected, and fresh ones sub- Hongkong on the 16th inst. and went to the stituted for those absent. The Committee first prisoner's shop as he was a neighbour. elected was composed of Major Ward, R.A., He met the second prisoner on board the Lieut. Graham (58th). Lieut. Plumbe steamer for Australia. The first prisoner (R. M. L. I.) Dr W. Watson Pike, Messrs | gave then the tickets asking Afuk about J. Bell-Irving, J. H. Stewart Lockhart, H. them. The money was given to A-u on

second prisoner told them to hide away. The programme of the sports was then Herbert Shepherd said he was shipping

By Dr Ho Kai-All the complainants told

before them to show that the first defen- all at that place; the third junk belonged dant was in any way whatever connected with the other two men, that he knew nothing of their scheme or that he was in is deceived just as the complainants are. two hundred. He knew the day of the vernment giving any exceptional assistance to ask that a day might be fixed for the tached to the ship for the purpose of look- him to come. He knew that Cheung Atung, Works which will be undertaken by the not be ready till 5 o'clock this evening, tickets are passed. He goes on shore. The where they went on board a steamer from 2nd of November last, enquiring when the

third prisoner, that he did not know the and had some fields. When they told him tickets were false, and that there was no- to come down to Hongkong they were both whether he desires to call any witness and thing in the evidence to show that he did together in the mandarin's house. There not regard the second prisoner as selling | were only four of them in all present in the the tickets on commission.

The second prisoner, on his own behalf, said the papers were not his, but belonged and told him to dispose of the tickets. The Jury found the 1st prisoner not guilty and the 2nd and 3rd prisoners guilty. Sentence was reserved.

Sin Amuck was convicted of having used unnatural and abominable practices towards two young boys on 3rd January 1886. Sentence was deterred.

(Before the Hon. J. Russell, Puisne Judge.)

ROBBING A WIDOW. Li Akow and Ho Atak were charged along with another man not in custody with having on 28th January, assaulted a widow named Tang Aho and atolen from her person a bag and \$20 gold pieces. Mr Mackean prosecuted on behalf of the

Attorney General. The jurous were Mossra H. E. Joseph K. M. do Rozario, G. Tauffer, A. M. Humphreys, M. A. da Silva, E. T. Lutz, and

R. Donaldson. The prosecutrix stated that about seven o'clock on 28th January, while she was in Tank Lane, she met the two prisoners and another man. This other man seized her by the waist and threw her down. The first prisoner out her girdle and stole her purse containing a gold coin worth \$20. Second prisoner rubbed papper in her eyes. The men ran away, but were caught and brought back almost immediately, the first being caught by a lokang and the second by Acting P.S. A. Macdonald.

Evidence was given by the Chinaman-to the effect that he saw the prisoner run at the same time that he heard the cry of The Jury found both prisoners guilty of

robbery but without violence. Sentence reserved.

HOUSEBILEAKING. Wong Akwan was charged with breaking nto the dwelling house of Mak Ayat with intent to steal and with wounding Man Hing and P. C. Johnston on the 18th Jan-It was alleged that prisoner and three other men entered the house of Mak Avat in First Street. The prosecutor drove the three other man out, but the prisoner entered into the conk-house and the cook, Man Hing calling out, the prisoner struck him on the head with a knife and rendered him insensible. On the other people in the house endeavouring to prevent the prisoner from escaping, the latter struck right and left with his knife, and when the police came be also made violent demonstrations

and stabbed P. C. Johnston. The Jury found the prisoner guilty on Mr Mackean said there were other charges of a similar nature against the prisoner.

but he was not going to proceed with them.

RAID ON A CHANDLER'S SHOP. Tam Aching and Kong Ahi were charged with entering the Ting On Chandler's shop, 128 Praya West, on the evening of 21st January last, with putting bodily fear of his life on the occupant, Pan Tauk Shan, and stealing therefrom 219 dollars in broken silver or 10 pieces, 3000 copper cash

and \$12 worth of opium. Mr Mackean said that on the evening of 21st January last the house of the prosecutor was entered by a crowd of men about ten in number, some with swords and some with pistols. They drave prosecutor into a room and seized the property stated, which was left in his custody by certain friends The two prisoners were positively identified by the prosecutor and another, and shortly afterwards they were discovered in a house not far off and a certain portion of the stolen property discovered in the The prisoners were charged with threatening the prosecutor and his com-

rade and stealing this property. Evidence having been given by Pang Tsuk Shan, an accountant in the shop, suc by others, the Jury unanimously returned

Sentence was reserved. The Chief Justice at the conclusion of the sittings intimated that sentences would pronounced to-morrow at two o'clock.

> Police Intelligence. (Before A. G. Wise, Esq.) Thursday, February 18.

THE CHINESE PIBACY AND MURDER CASE. Chang or Cheung Chi, the man charged with murder and paracy in Chinese territory in September 1884, appeared on remand. Mr Creasy Evens appeared to presecute on behalf of the Chinese Government; and Mr Wetton for the defence.

Ng Ahee, a shopman employed in the Man Wo Hong, again acted as interpreter in | and to my despatch No. 63 of the 30th of the Pokien dealect spoken by some of the March last, I have the henour to forward, said he was a seaman and lived at a village | cost of the proposed Defence Works at

called Chouk Kun, or Chenk Tun, in Pokien. Hongkoug. He knew the defendant as Chenng Ati; had 2,-I wish to express my regret that known him since he was a small boy. De- owing to an accident the transmission of fendant lived in the next house to him. He this letter has been delayed. was a seaman and had a pirate junk, 3 -I have now to matruck you to take Everyone in the village knew that defendant the earliest spitable opportunity of taking was a pirate. Witness had once been on the Legislative Council to vote the further board defendant's junk. This was in the sum required for these Defence Works. Yee. Witness was on board do endant's junk of the armuments, a change common to all

mitted that there was no evidence put fired a shot. There were three junks in ant bombardment.

to defendant said he was twenty nine years of age. He ent manner, any way cognisant of the fraud supposing had no wife and his father and mother were the fraud to have been committed. He dead. His religion was Chinese, he believed enclosed letter I have to inform you that was not shown to be acquainted with either in a god and worshipped every kind of I concur in the opinion of the Secretary of of them or to have any knowledge of their Chinese joss. There were four others State for War that, for the reasons stated business. He was not shown to have the all lived with witness in his house. They in the War Office letter, it will not be desimeans of getting a knowledge of what the were all brothers; one of them was a rable to form a local Defence Committee. passage tickets were like. He takes what farmer, one walked in the street and had as proposed in Sir G. Bowen's despach unprecaution he reasonably can to protect nothing to do and the others were boat | der acknowledgment. the complainants. He prevents them from men. When he left his village all four of 6 .- With reference to the 12th paragraph paying their money in the shop. He goes on his brothers were at home. One of the of that despatch, I have to refer you to board the steamer with them. The tickets | tepacs of his village was called Sze-sap sam | my despatch No. 68 of 21st October last. are there produced. He looks at them, and the other was Ah Ai. Witness could from which you will learn that I am unable but he cannot say what is on them, and he not write, but could count a hundred or to hold out any hope of the Imperial Go-He finds on board, assisting the whole month, it was the loth of the Chinese by way of guarantee or otherwise to the transaction, a respectable Chinaman, January. He came to Hongkong to get Hongkong Government towards raising the who is an interpreter actually at back Achi. The tepacs of the village told Loan required for that portion of the ing after the passengers. The money is the last witness, was coming down; they Colony. paid through his hand, and he is thus made both came together. There was no one 7 .- I have referred to the War Office the innocent medium through which the else with them. They went to Hung-tow, Sir G. Bowen's despatch No. 415 of the men remain on board. They are arrested a sampan. There were six of them in the new heavy gons may be expected, and I the next day as stowaways. They say they sampan including himself and Cheung Atung. will communicate with you as soon as I got tickets from defendant, and the Police Two of these were village people and one receive a reply from the department on the take them to his shop, and defendant's first was a mandarin's man. The two village subject. - I have, etc., exclamation is: These men are not stow- people left the steamer before she came away. The tepaos of his village did not Dr Ho Kai submitted, on behalf of the keep any shops, they were both farmers

mandarin's house at the time, Cheung Atung, your letter of the 4th ultimo. Mr Secretary himself and the two tepaos, Sze sap sam | Smith would draw attention to the concludand Ah Ai. The tepaos told him and Atung | ing paragraphs of War Office letter of the to Wang A Hie, who was going to Sydney to go on board the steamer and come down 14th March last, (Hongkong 5, 1993.) to Hongkong and get back Achi. They which indicated that as the Imperial Godid not tell him what he had to say. He | vernment had recognised the necessity of was on board defendant's junk for about a providing a much more powerful and exmonth. Defendant had paid him and pensive armament for Hongkong than was Atung. Defendant had asked him to go on originally intended, so it would doubtless. his junk, not to be a pirate but to become necessary for the Colonial Governtrade. Witness did not do any work | ment to increase correspondingly the vote on board the steamer. He had only for the works... been on shore here when he come up to The moderate measure of defence orithe Police Court. He would go back to his ginally made for the harbour of Hongkong village if he did not get Achi back. If he by the Inspector General of Fortifications did not get him back every one in the vil- in his memorandum of 6th June, 1883. lage would get into trouble, but witness has, by force of circumstances, and the himself would not, nor would Atung. He urgent reiterated representations from the did not know whether the tepaes would get | Colony, been developed into a very much into trouble. They were not in trouble larger scheme, which must result in a now. There were four tepses in the village; larger outlay. two of them were now in the mandarin's Since the date of the War Office letter. plice and could not get out. The mandarin above referred to the designs for the new

village told him, and said that the other estimate of their cost. tepacs would be killed if Achi was not got ing eleven medium and three heavy guns in back. Any of the villagers could go and existing works and the approximate estimate see the tepacs at the mandarin's house. He | was :could not say if Cheung Atung meant it when he said he would commit suicide Achi was not taken back; he certainly should not do so himself. . It was mid-day when defendant fired the musket. After the shot was fired Kwa Sap Yee's junk sailed away and witness had not seen the junk or Kwa Sap Yee since. Defendant's innk was one choung from Kwa Sap Yee's junk, and three li from the shore, when the No one had told him what to say in th

case. He told the mandarin all he knew the matter. He had heard a lot of people talking about defendant but all he knew himself was what he had said about being in defendant's junk and seeing the elict fired. Kwa Sap Yee fired one shot. Do-1 The third junk, the little one did not fire at all. Kwa Sap Yee did not marry wit ness' sister or another's sister. They we not related at all. He had never spoken to him; and when he saw him on the junk i was the second time he had seen him. could not say where he met Kwa Sap Yee the first time, it was about four years ago. Some one in the street told him that is Kwa Sap Yee! He could not remember who it was that said so. Witness was passing in the street when he heard one man point him out to another as Kwa Sap Yee. It was a year before the shot was fired that he saw Kwa Sap Yee. He saw the bullet go into Kwa Sap Yee's right side and since then he had never seen him. He had forgotten the names of the mean on board the defendants' junk except three. They were Asam, seaman, Kon

Kon, who had nothing to do on board, and Kwa Kwa, the cock. The next witness called spoke another dialect, that of Foochow, and some difficulty arose as to the interpretation. none of the Court interpreters understood the dialect. After the witness had been tried in Punti, of which he knew a little. it was found that the shopman Ng Ahee know the Foochow dislect fairly well and he was allowed to interpret the evidence to the Court interpreter who rendered it in

Lam Yee Chu, examined, said he was a trader. He knew a man named Kwa San Yee; he last saw him at the end of the seventh moon of 1884; he met him in the Yak lau tea house and had some conversation with him during which Kwa San Yee offered him a passage on his junk. He accepted the offer and went on board on the 14th of Sept. On the 21st September they arrived at Pinghoi. On that day Kwa Sap Yee was on deck when they saw another junk from which some one fired a shot and atruck Kwa Sap Yes. The junk that fired was about two cheung distance from them. There was a third junk there when the shot was fired. There was only one shot fired. He could not distinguish the faces of the men on the junk which fired the shot. Ho did not knew the defendant. Kwa Sap Yee died on the junk soon after he was shot. The bullet hit him in the right side.

Mr Wotton deferred his cross examination of this witness and the case was further remanded till Monday next at 2.15

THE DEFENCES. The lollowing are the despaches referred to in the minute by His Excellency the

Administrator on the fortifications :-

Downing Street, 5th January, 1886. Sir, -With reference to Sir G. Bowen's despatch No. 259 of the 4th of June last. for your information and guidance, copy of Chaung Akung, examined by Mr Ewens, a letter from the War Office; relative to the

eighth moon of 1884. It was on the Ziat You will obsirve that the increase in the at the time and saw defendant fire a musket other defended Ports of the Empire, owing

he had in his hand and hit Kwa San to the introduction of an improved type of him that they had paid their passage money Yee. When defendant fired the shot his breechloading artillery, which involves a junk was about two choungs behind Kwa corresponding change in the works; and Ali Buk said he arrested the third pri- Sap Yoe's junk and about three li from the the cost is further increased by the exten-It was then decided to hold the sports on soner on the Canton boa ... He found her shore, near Ping Hoi. He did not know sion of the Defences to the Eastward, on lying in the ladies' room of the night boat. of any other piratical act done by defendant the representation of the local authorities. The arrest was made on the 20th January besides killing Kwa Sap Yee. When de- to take up the defence of the Lyee-moon fendant fired the shot witness was about Pass and more thoroughly secure the ship-Mr Francis, in addressing the jury, sub- seven or eight feet from him. No one else ping and City of Victoria from more dist-

4.-I doubt not that the Council will loyally consent to vote the amount necessa-Cross-examined by Mr Wotton, witness ry for completing the Defences in an effici-

5.—In regard to the latter part of the

Extract from letter from The War Office

to Colonial Office. 19th September, 1885. Sir. In acknowledging the receipt of

fed and clothed them. Cheung Atung did works have been so far developed that it has not tell him this, the two tepaos in the become possible to arrive at an approximate tepass would not be let out unless Achi The original scheme of defence provided was taken back. He could not say if the only for three new works and for remount-

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£116,000 Mr Secretary Smith wishes it. however. to be understood that this estimate is only proximate. Until the designs are all completed and their cost worked out in detail at the Station, it will be impossible to give an exact estimate. No time will, however, be lost in obtaining this estimate and the designs will be prepared with the strictest attention to economy of construction as far as it may be compatible with efficiency. In the meantime it is boped that the Colony will continue to provide such funds as may be necessary for carrying on the works .- I have, etc., RALPH THOMPSON. (Signed)

The Under Secretary of State,

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British Wuchang STEAM-LAUNCH Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on within one year, an allowance of 10 % will Yehsin Chinese -MORNING STAR 7. P. Dixon ...... 3 c|Keen ....... Amer. bqe. 692 Jan. Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of "12 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Re-Yoritomo Maru Japanese Edward Kidder...... 4 k Griffin ......... Amer. bge. Runs Daily as a FERRY BOAT between Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms 28 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. turn Passage Orders, available for one year. Chinese Yung-ning Peddar's Wharf and Tsim-Tsa-Tsui at the Edwin Reed ........ 8 c Cate..... and Conditions. will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from MERCHANT BAILING VESSELS. Ellen A. Reed ...... 8 c Hatfield ...... Brit. sh. 1750 following hours:-This Time Table Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-Brit. Return Fare. These allowances do not apply take effect from the 20th October, 1885. Eme....... 8 c Summers ...... Brit. bqe. Africa ceived, and transmitted to the Directors 774 Jan. to through fares from China and Japan to Brit. Emily F. Whitney ... 4 k Rollins ...... Amer. sh. Charley for their decision. Chi. bge. Laid up Chingtah. Leaves K'loon, Leaves &K. Leaves K'loon, Leaves H.K. F. H. Drews ......... 5 k Rothbart........ Ger. bqe. If required, protection will be granted on 6.15 A.M. 7.15 A.M. 6.15 A.M. 7.15 A.M. Chittoor Br. Sm. tch. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo George ...... 4 c Grant ...... Brit. bue. 25 Russell & Co. Victoria, B.C. first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single G. R. Skolfield destined to ports beyond San Francisco. Amer. ah. Great Admiral ....... 3 k Thompson ...... Amer. ah. should be sent to the Company's Offices, Brit. For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-K'loon Dock addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Brit. posals or any other information, apply to San Francisco 10.45\* 12.30 р.м. 12.30 р.м. 1.00 р.м. Amer Highlander ...... k Bachelder ..... Amer. sh. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., For further information as to Freight Northampton Hiram Emery ....... & k Gorham ...... Amer. bqe. Agents, Hongkong & Canton. or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Brit. bg. Pelham Honolulu Company, No. 50a, Queen's Road Central. Brit. boe. Hongkong, January 4, 1867. Isanc Reed ...... 4 k Colley ..... Amer. ah. Ringleader John Currier ...... 10 Blethen ...... Amer. sh. 1847 Jan. Amer. sch. THE LONDON ASSURANCE. 3 c Reiners ...... Gcr. New York 5.10 , 5.25 , Brit. Lottie Moore....... 8 c Battie ...... Amer. bqe. 837 Jan. 14 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Hongkong, January 30, 1886. Timour INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTEP OF Vigilant 9 c Croslands .... Brit. bq. Amer. sh. His Majesty King George The First, 1338 Nov. 30 Douglas Steamship Co. Wand, Minstrel Br. 3m. sch. 3 k Bailey ..... Amer. bqe. |Sept. 16|Russell & Co. \* There will be no Launch on Monday Brit. bas. U. S. MAIL LINE. Richard Parsons ..... 4 k Thorndike ..... Amer. bge. and Friday, on account of coaling. 3 cH. Cairns ..... Amer. bqe. THE Undersigned having been appointed Victoria, B.C., The above Time Table will be strictly NAGABAKI PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP Agents for the above Corporation are adhered to, except under unavoidable cir-In port on February 7, 1886. prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-1805 Jan. COMPANY. San Francisco cumstances. In case of stress of weather, Kozaki Maru - Japan. boe. c Schmiegelow ... Siam. sh. Marine Department. due notice will be given of any stoppages. Ice King Amer. sh. THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA Villa de Rivadovia ... 4 kM. do Camus... Span. 20 Brandao & Co. 274 Jan. Policies at current rates, payable either Walls Castle .......... 7 k Kennett ...... Brit. bqe. 626 Jan. 27 Lane. Crawford & Co. Mr. Andrew Wind. here, in London, or at the principal Ports OVERLAND RAILWAYS, and rouceing YOKOHAMA Wandering Jew...... 4 k Nichols ...... Amer. sh. of India, China and Australia. NEWS AGENT, &C. In port on February 5, 1886. AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO. Wilhelm Anton...... 8 c Haskagen ..... Ger. bqe. 999 Jan. 3 Melchers & Co. PARK ROW, NEW YORK: is Fire Department. authorized to receive Subscriptions, Antoinette Policies issued for long or short periods at THE U.S. Mail Steamship CITY OF Advertisements, &c., for the China Mail Her Britannic Wajesty's Ships in the China Squadron. Archimede Brit ourrent rates. RIO DE JANEIRO will be des-Overland China Mail, and China Review, Amer. sch. Dians : Life Department. patched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, Policies issued for sums not exceeding Freeman Amer. boe. SAILOR'S HOME. on THURSDAY, the 4th March, at 3 p.m., Tons. | Guns. | I.H.P. Where at. Captain. Rig, Name. £5,000 at reduced rates. taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, NY Cast-off Clothing, Books, Brit. sch. **Уельо** A PAPERS will be thankfully received HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. the United States, and Europe. Commander Chas. Hicks On a cruise composite screw sloop Amer sh. Sachem Albatross -496 at the Sailor's Home, West Point. Through Bills of Lading issued for trans-6010 Capt. Robert Hastings Harris Hongkong, July 25, 1872. double-screw iron frigate Singapore Sir J. Family Brit. bqe. portation to Yokohama and other Japan Hongkong, July 25, 1878. Captain A. T. Powlett Yokohama Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Over-Captain L. C. Keppel 2380, Chefoo -HIOGO corvette Lieut. Com. H. H. Boteler Pakhoi In port on January 25, 1886 Mails. gunboat land Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Capt. Seymour Dacres Hongkong QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMcorvette Fred. B. Taylor Brit. Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central 2388 040 Nagasaki Captain J. G. J. Hanmer corvette. Brit. and South America, by the Company's and PANY. Commander Davis Cruising P'hoi, H'how composite sloop Brit. L. O. Troop connecting Steamers. In reserve double-screw gunboat Brit. Queen Emma Through Passage Tickets granted to TITHE Undersigned are prepared to accept Lieut.-Com. H. R. Adams Cruising . gunboat Amer. bqe. England, France, and Germany by all Risks on First Class Godowns at Lieut.-Com. D. L. Dickson Hongkong gunboat trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. per cent. net premium per annum. Captain J. P. Maclear Hongkong: MANILA RETURN PASSAGES.—Passengers, who NORTON & Co., Agents. double-screw gun-vessel Commander W. Marrack. Hongkong In port on January 22, 1886. have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Lieut, Com. W. M. Maturin Singapore gunboat lla bama Brit. bae. Hongkong, May 19, 1881. Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versu) Commander Hotham double-screw gun-vessel Canton Almatia Amer. sch. STEAM FOR within six months, will be allowed a discount 1130 Commander H. T Grenfell Shanghai composite screw sloop Anahuac THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO Amer. sh. of 20 % from Return Fare; if re-embarking 830 Shanghai Commander W. U. Moore gloop Arklow Brit. - bqe. ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, PANY, LIMITED. within one year, an allowance of 10 % wil 1370 2360 12 Captain R. G. Kinahan Singapore corvette Norw. bqe. <u>Malta, marseilles, gibraltar</u> be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Re-Commander A. C. B. Bromley Nagasaki Gainsborough double-screw gun-vessel Brit. BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, THE Undersigned having been appointed turn Passage Orders, wailable for one year, 360 3087 835 925 3 double-screw gunboat In reserve Jen: Harkness Amer. bge. PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON; will be issued at a Discount of 25 % from Agants for the above Company are Commodore Morant 20 Hongkong J. E. Ridgway Amer. ah. United States receiving ship prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE Return Fare. These allowances do not apply paddle despatch-vessel Lieut.-Com. Farquhar. Singapore RISKS to all parts of the World, at current | BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND Amer. sh. United States to through fares from China and Japan to Captain Orford Churchill Shanghai gunbeat L. J. Morse Amer, ch. 1450 530 1800 In reserve turret-ship L. v. Vangerow Ger. sh. N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills Freight will be received on board until ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Lieut, Com. Chas. K. Hope Tientsin Amer. bqe. of Lading for BATAVIA, PERSIAN GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, o.m. the day previous to sailing. Parcel \* Flagship of Vice-Admiral Vesey Hamilton, Commander-in-Chief. Hongkong, November 5, 1883. Span. bqe. Nervion-Packages will be received at the office until For H. B. M. Ships' tonnage, displacements and effective horse powers are given according to H. M. Navy list. Brit ah. New York Nylehau TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages SINGAPORE INSURANCE COMPANY, Parthia AND BOSTON. should be marked to address in full; value LIMITED. SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH Amer, bae. of same is required. Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station. Primus Russ. sh. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo HEAD OFFICE—SINGAPORE. Prof. Johnson Norw. bge. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM destined to ports beyond San Francisco St. Stelano NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship should be sent to the Company's Offices in Where at. Captain. Tons. Guns. H.P. Name. Flag and Rig. are prepared to GRANT POLICIES THAMES, Captain W. A. SEATON, with against FIRE on usual terms at Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON, vid BOMBAY TATE are prepared to GRANT POLICIES Ventura Span, bqe, Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. Commander Jonquieres Saigon French gunbost 460 BANGROK. For further information as to Passag French frigate 4000 Commander Trève Saigon All Contributors of business, whether Share- and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. In port on February 6, 1886. Lieut. Commander Noirot Haiphong 483 holders or not, are entitled to Share in the 2nd March, at 4 p.m. French gun-vessel Siam. bqs. Yokobama 861 Captain de Montesquon: French cruiser . Cargo will be received on board until Brit. bqe. Amity : C. D. HARMAN, Comdr. Lemeruer Monssaux Yokohama French cruiser 1300. Duchaffant ADAMSON, BELL & Co., 10 a.m. on the day of sailing. Brit. bqe. Aurora Lieut.-Commander Hofmeyer Hongkong 420 -Titia 🐃 German gunboat Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office Agenta Ban Lee Siam. bqe, 430 2500 2300 Haiphong Commander Fouet French gunboat Jaguar until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing. Hongkong, July, 1885. Hongkong, February 13, 1886. Borra Norfol Siam, boe. Commander.St. Maurice Saigon : Silk and Valuables for Europe will be French corvette Siam. bge. Bna Pan Capt. Mequet Saigon transhipped at Colombo; Tps and Gen-La Perouse French corvette Siam, bqe. Bug Cago 437 NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTIL Haiphong Captain Duval eral Cargo for London will be conveyed French gunboat Lutin Not Responsible for Debts.-Siam. 3 sc. Caroline -Keelung Commander Puech via Bombay without translipment, arriving French corvette: INSURANCE-COMPANY. O. Waltana Siam, bqe. Luis Bayo y Hernandes Pinro Hongkong 650 Manila Spanish transport: one week later than by the ordinary direct Confucius Biam. cach. 910 Commander Merrill Miller Shanghai THE Undersigned, Acan's of the above U. S. corvette route vid Colombo. Siam, bge. Diamond City Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor 1375 Commander F. J. Higginson U. S. gunboat Tientsin Company, are authorized to Insura For further Particulars regarding Siam. Doretta Owners will be Responsible for Shanghai Commander Rötger 600 against FIRE at Current Rates. FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the German gunboat Siam. bqe. any Debt contracted by the Officers or Omaha 2400 Capt. Thos. O. Selfridge Yokohama U. S. corvetta PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA-Siam. GILMAN & Co. Falcon Crew of the following Vessels, during Ossipes Commander J. J. McGlinsey 2100 U. S. corvette Yokohama TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. Siam. Foochow . Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 304 Chemulpo Lieut. Com. Thomas Nelson their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-U. S. gunboat The Contents and Value of Packages are Siam. Fortune: Commander Poidloue French gunboat 480 required to be declared prior to shipment. CARONDELET, American ship, Capt. W. Siam. Goliah Kobe 220 Commander M. Buge NOWREADY Shippers are particularly requested to Primauguet French corvette Siam. Moridian note the terms and conditions of the Com-Captain Mensing 3080 On a cruise Prinz Adalbert German corvette Marcino Ital book FRÖHLICH, German brig, Captain Commander Richard French corvette Rigault de Genouilly pany's Black Bills of Lading. PRIOE, \$1.00. Rapid Siam, bae. 539 Captain Raphael d'Andrade Hongkong Möller.—Wieler & Co. Portuguese gunboat Passengers desirous of insuring their bag-S. Hamsed Commander Mayet 2500 French croiser Amoy . gage can do so on application at the Com-George, British barque, Capt. William COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW Siamese Crown Siam: - sh. French gun-vessel pany's Office. Grant -- Captain. Biam. ' bg. Titchou By E. H. PARKER. Salgon Commander W. Monin French corvette Young Sjam Siam, bee. N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Pas-SOUTHERN CHIEF, American ship, Capt. Portuguese gunboat 410 Macao Captain Avila Can be obtained from KELLY & WAISH sengers for MARSEILLES. U. S. frigate 2300 5100 Captain R. L. Phythian Ross. - Captain. Yokohama 10

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